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Honorable Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

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## AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

This is a timely reply to a Final Office Action dated December 27, 2005. No fees are believed to be due. If any fee is required, please charged the fee to deposit account no. 07-1732.

